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**IMPORTANT NOTICE EXTENDING THE COMMENT PERIOD CONCERNING  
PROPOSED QUESTIONNAIRE FOR THE RESIDENTIAL CONSTRUCTION  
WAGE AND BENEFITS SURVEY IN THE 18 COUNTIES LOCATED IN THE  
SACRAMENTO AND SAN JOAQUIN VALLEYS**

All Interested Parties:

Thanks to the quality and quantity of the responses received during the original comment period for the proposed survey questionnaire, the Department will extend the comment period until April 23, 2010. This extended comment period will enable further feedback from interested parties directed at the improvement of the survey questionnaire and process. A revised draft of the proposed questionnaire will be posted on March 16, 2010 on the DLSR web site at [http://www.dir.ca.gov/dlsr/statistics\\_research.html](http://www.dir.ca.gov/dlsr/statistics_research.html) and will be made available at the Stakeholders Meetings scheduled for San Francisco on March 17, 2010 and for Fresno on March 18, 2010.

Your written comments are encouraged and may be submitted to the Division of Labor Statistics and Research at P.O. Box 420603, San Francisco, CA 94142-0603 or via Fax to 415-703-4771.

We look forward to your input in the spirit of clarifying or improving the questionnaire and process. DLSR will make those modifications that will satisfy the requirements of the law and regulations and at the same time ease the process for the responding contractors.

Please note that this invitation to comment is not established under the formal rulemaking requirements of the Administrative Procedure Act. The prevailing wage rate determination process, as a rate setting process, is excluded from the requirements of the Administrative Procedure Act (Government Code section 11340.9(g)).